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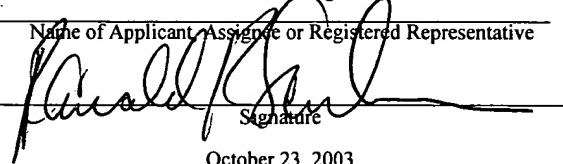
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Eric Romanski et al.
Serial No. : 09/923,936
For : FLOTATION COATING FOR WATER
TRANSPORT BAGS
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Official Action dated September 23, 2003, kindly amend the application as follows:

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